

## Message Text

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ACTION SS-25

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R 220742Z JAN 77  
FM USINT BAGHDAD  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4053  
INFO USMISSION USUN NEW YORK

C O N F I D E N T I A L BAGHDAD 0128

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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PFOR, IZ  
SUBJECT: IRAQI UN MISSION ACQUISITION OF FIREARMS

1. DG OF POLITICAL AFFAIRS AT FOREIGN MINISTRY, ZAHAWI,  
CONFIRMED TO ME ON JANUARY 19 THAT GOI IS TRANSFERRING  
AMBASSADOR SHAIKHLY FROM NEW YORK TO BONN. ZAHAWI  
VOLUNTEERED INFORMATION DURING COURTESY CALL TO INTRODUCE  
NEW USINT OFFICER.

2. ANOTHER SOURCE TOLD ME THAT SHAIKHLY HAD LOBBIED  
HARD WITH BOTH BAKR AND SADDAM HUSSEIN TO BE RETURNED TO  
NEW YORK FOR ANOTHER THREE YEAR TOUR, BUT WAS TURNED  
DOWN PRIMARILY FOR HIS MISHANDLING OF THE FIREARMS  
EPISODE.  
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